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Early deadline

Due to the Heritage Day holiday, deadline for advertising and news submissions the Aug. 7 Elk Point Review will be at 4 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 1. Have a safe and happy holiday, everyone!

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Vicki Brooker photo

Grand Aggregate winner

Millie Orr (left) accepted her second Grand Aggregate award in a row from Elk Point Agricultural Society Craft and Horticulture Show chair Donna Bassett at Sunday's awards presentation. Orr also won section awards in Canning and House Plants and the new Violet McFadyen Memorial award for participation.

Second annual aggregate for Millie Orr

By VICKI BROOKER
Review Staff

Millie Orr picked up her second annual Grand Aggregate award at the Elk Point Agricultural Society Craft and Horticultural Show on Sunday, collecting a fat sheaf of prize ribbons and section awards in Canning and House Plants along the way.

Orr also was the proud recipient of a brand new prize in memory of longtime fair entrant and supporter, Violet McFadyen. The award, sponsored by the McFadyen family, went to the person who submitted the most entries in both the Flowers and House Plants sections. Show chair Donna Bassett said McFadyen had always "gone the extra mile" for the show, entering as many categories as she was able to, because she felt that support would ensure the show continued in future years.

The Grand Aggregate plaque was sponsored by CJ Petroleum and Orr's section awards included a gift certificate from the Empress Family Restaurant and a gift basket from Moe's Gardens and Greenhouse.

Second place in the aggregate went to Lillian Balazs of Cold Lake, who also took home a gift bag from RONA in the Flowers section and a cash award from Hahn Welding in the Seniors section.

Lisa Love finished third in the aggregate race, but went home laden with a fruit basket from Elk Point Co-op in the Baking section and a gift bag from PharmaChoice in the Knitting/Crochet/Weaving section.

Love also finished just one point behind winner Jennifer Van der Hoek in the Creative Writing, a repeat of the final standings from that category last year, with both entrants receiving prizes from the Elk Point Review, as did youth winner Katerina Shapka and junior winner Rhianna Bjorkman.

Van der Hoek's big red Creative Writing section ribbon was soon joined by another from the Arts, Crafts and Hobbies section, which also yielded a cash prize from Elk Point Insurance. Shapka was also a multiple winner, topping the Junior Fair for a cash prize from Shamrock Valley Enterprises.

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Town's census shows significant increase

By VICKI BROOKER
Review Staff

The official results of this spring's town-conducted census were released at Elk Point town council's July 23 meeting, showing the town to have a population of 1,571 persons. This figure is 11.2 per cent higher than the 1,412 listed in the 2011 federal census, and shows 5.6 per cent growth since the 2006 census.

Development was again a prominent feature of the agenda but councillors were still waiting for prices and details. Requests have already come in for lots in the R1 Residential subdivision, town manager Myron Goyan said. Servicing costs for the R3 Residential area were also not in yet.

Council set referral fees to be paid to real estate companies sending customers for industrial and residential lots the town's way, with \$1,000 for residential lot referrals and \$2,000 for industrial lots.

Council discussed the AMSC energy aggregation program. With energy costs scheduled to rise, Mayor Parrish Tung indicated that both the MD of St. Paul Foundation and Northern Lights Library System are looking at this company. AMSC has asked the town for permission to go over the town's energy costs, in order to determine if money can be saved. AMSC would then do a presentation to council to outline the results. Council voted to release the figures to the company.

The Government of Alberta Regional Water Grant fund-

ing has now been transferred, council learned.

Mayor Tung has received information on the new two-year National Infrastructure Plan and said he feels that the public works building and sewage lagoon are suitable potential projects.

Council also learned that \$411,000 in federal gas tax and provincial transportation grants will be available, which could be used to oil roads in the industrial park. Approximately \$170,000 per year is available, if the town designates a project and makes applications.

A discussion between Town Coun. Ron Fraess and a county councillor have led to a decision to have the county crew oil 50 Ave. east of Highway 41. Council approved the expenditure.

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Council approves Riverland's request

Iron Horse Trail Product Club to be repurposed for trail maintenance

By Vicki Brooker
Review Staff

Marianne Price of North East Muni-Corr Ltd. and Marvin Bjornstad, treasurer of the Riverland Recreational Trail Society (RRTS), visited Elk Point Town Council last week to acquaint council with the cooperative relationship that exists between Muni-Corr, Riverland, the Iron Horse Trail Groomer Foundation, Alberta's Iron Horse Product Club and Alberta's Lakeland Destination Marketing Association.

The town of Elk Point and the County of St. Paul are among 10 municipalities that have a master agreement with Muni-Corr to look after their portions of the 300 km of abandoned railway line, including mowing, weed control, culvert maintenance, blading and bylaw signage, with the rural municipalities also dealing with such matters as beaver dams and washouts.

Muni-Corr leases the middle 33 feet of the 99-foot right-of-way to Riverland, a non-profit organization of volunteers, trail users and supporters, which operates it as a multi-use recreation corridor. The Iron Horse Trail Groomer Foundation is made up of volunteers from five snowmobile

clubs in the region, which raised funds and applied for grants to purchase a snowmobile trail groomer, and "made three years of operational funds stretch to cover costs for 10 years," Bjornstad told council. Riverland and the foundation have worked closely together to maintain the trail, repairing structures, patrolling the trail to deal with safety issues and dealing with trail abuse such as speeding, garbage or willful damage.

Both groups are struggling with operational costs, Bjornstad said. "Riverland has lived on grants. We have put \$1.2 million through the books but there are no grants that cover maintenance costs." Nor do casino earnings, which go to signage, website updates and maintenance, trail resurfacing and other capital projects. Memberships yield about \$1,300 a year, and this year, the Riverland started a voluntary trail contribution.

The groomer foundation "lives on what they get from (Alberta Snowmobile Association) trail passes," and with the big cost of operating the groomer, currently finds itself with a \$16,000 deficit.

The Iron Horse Product Club, which focuses on tourism product development, is proportionally funded by the 10 municipalities, and Price and Bjornstad are visiting each of the councils to ask them to consider topping up their share of product club funding and reallocating it to trail development and maintenance for the next three years. The towns of St. Paul and Bonnyville have already agreed to do this, and they are waiting to hear back from the MD of Bonnyville and the village of Glendon. A private donor has offered to pay Vilna's share.

For the past four years, Product Club funding has gone toward general operations of Alberta's Lakeland Destination

Marketing Organization, and council was told that the DMO is considering "several options" to replace the product club funding.

Elk Point town council voted later in the

meeting to continue to pay the product club funding to the DMO, and in addition, to contribute \$504 per year for the next three years to Riverland and the Groomer Foundation to help defray costs.

Council

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Blue Sky Coatings will be coming to Elk Point early in August to patch roadways in need of repair.

A presentation on recycling attended by Mayor Tung was basically "tire-kicking," he told council. The plan would need 30,000 tonnes of garbage to be viable and is a smaller-scale version of Edmonton's operation. The company plans to come back to the region with a business plan.



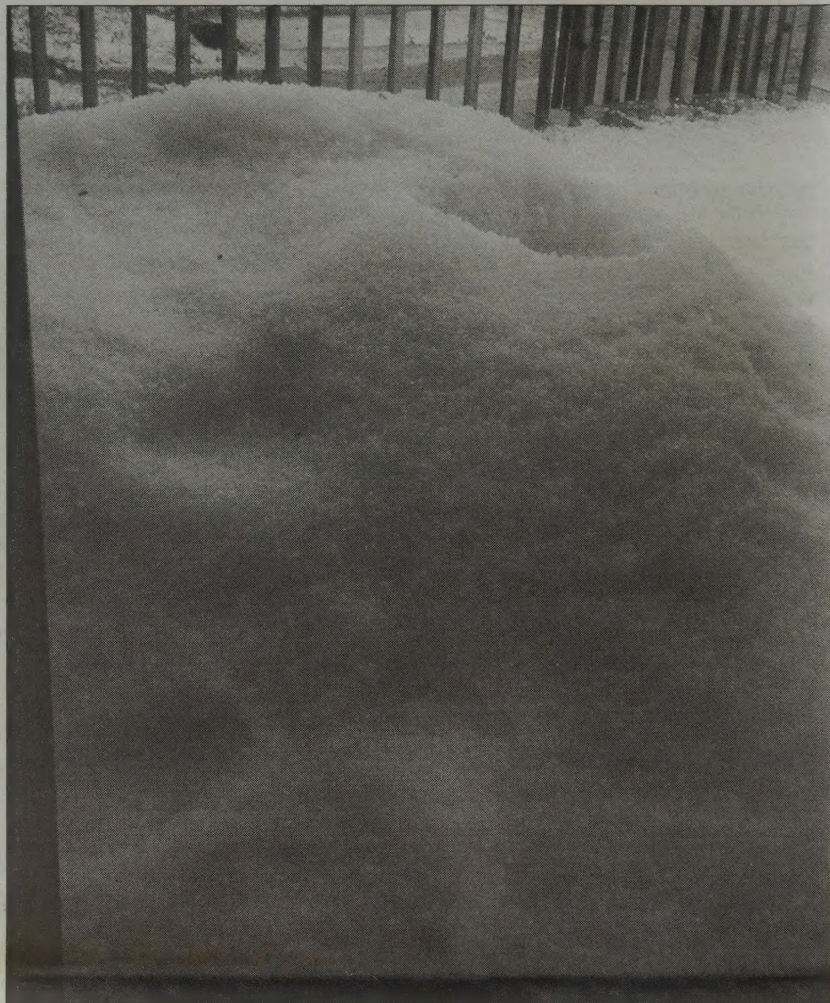
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ARMISTICE ROAD PARTIAL CLOSURE

Due to the St. Paul / Elk Point Regional Water Transmission Line construction project, the eastbound lane of the Armistice road (Twp Rd 573A) will be partially closed from Rge Rd 80 to Rge Rd 91 which will cause delays for motorists. Flag people will be on site to assist traffic through the affected areas.

The planned start date for the partial closure is Monday, July 23. The closure will be in sections, not the whole distance at one time and will last approximately 1 month. The starting point is Rge Rd 91 (at the St. Paul water treatment plant) working eastward.

Questions or concerns are to be directed to
Bryan Bespalko at 780-210-9557



Submitted photo

Summer 'snow'drift

A huge dump of hail around 6 p.m. on Saturday left the Heinsburg valley looking like the aftermath of a blizzard, as it piled up on the porch and steps at the Heinsburg Community Hall, where an anniversary celebration was in progress.

HEALTH SERVICES
PREFERENTIAL ACCESS INQUIRY

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Honourable John Z. Vertes, appointed as Commissioner of the Health Services Preferential Access Inquiry, will convene public hearings in Edmonton on October 15 and 16, 2012 and in Calgary on October 18 and 19, 2012.

The purpose of these hearings will be to receive oral submissions from persons and organizations for standing or funding or both before the Commission. Applications must be received in writing no later than August 31, 2012.

The rules and procedures established by the Commission for standing and funding applications are available for review at the Commission's website: www.healthaccessinquiry.ca.

The dates, times and places for the Inquiry's evidentiary hearings will be made public at a later date.

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Home-cooked meals to be served for seniors

Long-term care facilities will no longer offer 21-day menu

BY JANANI WHITFIELD
Review Contributor

Seniors' advocate Edith Read has fought the provincial 21-day menu for the past two years, since the program was first introduced. Last Thursday, she was thrilled to hear the announcement from Health Minister Fred Horne that residents at Alberta's 73 long-term care facilities will now be getting home-cooked meals prepared on-site by the end of this year.

"Kudos to Minister Horne for making the decision to scrap this program," said

Read, who has long called for an end to the serving of pre-made food at rural hospitals and long-term care facilities. "I just think it's a victory for the thousands of Albertans who are in publicly-owned long-term care facilities and I think it will go a long ways to improving their quality of life and restoring their dignity."

Read, who is the president of the north-east Alberta council of aging, has made several contacts with people from across the province, who were also fighting against the serving of what they felt was unappetizing

and inedible food. On Friday, her phone was ringing off the hook with people who were excited about the change.

Alberta Health Services will focus on 10 facilities first, but must implement changes in all 73 facilities by Dec. 1 of this year.

"We've heard what residents and their families have said about the quality of food in our long-term care facilities and today; we are taking action to improve that," said Horne in a press release. "We have to remember that these facilities are home to the people who live there, and in many cases, the last home they will ever live in." They deserve to live in comfort and dignity and eat nutritious food that looks and tastes home-cooked, he said.

Read said she and several others put much time into calling and emailing to register their concerns about the previous menu with AHS brass and government officials. "I feel a great sense of satisfaction because I know that I personally put a lot of hours into this, a lot of time and energy," she said.

Sometimes, people feel apathetic and wonder why they should even bother to vote, but she felt that the Thursday announcement was an indication that people could have their voices heard. "If you keep at it, and you keep doing it in the cor-

rect manner and you rally the forces, government has to listen. We are the people, we are the government," she said. "If you feel that there's something wrong and you firmly believe it, just keep at it."

Shayne Saskiw, Wildrose MLA for Lac La Biche-St. Paul-Two Hills, said that his party believes the Progressive Conservative government should "apologize for forcing seniors to eat this unhealthy food at long-term care centres across the province for over two and a half years."

"It's a little disturbing that the health minister is patting himself on the back for fixing a problem that the PC government created in the first place," he added.

People sometimes ask what the Wildrose can do, as an opposition force, and this was one example where the Wildrose, in conjunction with seniors' advocates, were able to force the issue, said Saskiw.

He also noted the battle is not over, since the changes apply only to long-term care facilities, and that rural hospitals will still offer the 21-day menu. "The Wildrose is going to fight to see that all auxiliary and rural hospitals have locally cooked food where the produce is bought locally, where we have local staff preparing it onsite."



Vicki Brooker photo

Great pumpkin!

Pumpkins aren't a usual variety for raised bed gardening, but Michelle Roberts, (centre) near Stoney Lake, already has a sizeable orange orb peeking out from between the leaves in one of the raised beds she pointed out to visitors who toured the Roberts yard on St. Paul Garden Society's garden tour last Tuesday.

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Thank you to all members for their cooperation with this updating process.

Capsule Comments

by Your Natural Choice Apple Drugs pharmacist, Chris Letawsky



- We often mention ways of reducing your risk of medical problems. One you don't hear about often is marriage. Evidently if you are having coronary bypass surgery, you have a greater survival rate if you are married. It may have something to do with handling stress better or that more married people are non-smokers.
- Using heat therapy for sore joints can be very soothing and effective. The length of time heat should be applied is 20-30 minutes per session. Heat is helpful in reducing muscle spasms and arthritic back and neck pain. Heat shouldn't be used on a new injury, open wounds or infections or swollen or inflamed areas.
- Since 20% of Canadians' weekly food intake comes from restaurant meals there is a move to have more nutritional information available on menus or for the asking. Since some meals are high in calories and sodium and since hypertension and obesity are real health problems in Canada, this information may help people make better choices when eating out.
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EDITORIAL

'Fair' not good enough

What's in a name? With Capital Ex going back to K-Days with overwhelming support, it makes us wonder if the name of our local exhibition would ever revert back to the Elk Point Fair.

It's easy to see why it wouldn't. The amount of effort and skill that goes into the entries, whether they are needlepoint or nasturtiums, candid photos or quilted centrepieces, is way beyond 'fair'. The current title, 'Elk Point Agricultural Society Craft and Horticulture Show' is far more fitting for a splendid display of this talent.

It is to be noted that the change in date and sharing that date with Vermilion Fair did not appear to deter entrants. In fact, one viewer who had also attended the Vermilion event, said we had more and better entries. Yes, we're better than 'fair' by a long way!

WAY BACK WHEN...

Bicentennial, ball provincials, Potta Trail

HERE'S THE NEWS THAT MADE THE HEADLINES OF THE LAKELAND REVIEW AND ELK POINT REVIEW FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 31 IN...

1987

The sun shone on the Ladies', Seniors' and Juniors' golf tournament, where GERALYN SYLVESTRE, BILL MILHOLLAND and BLAINE McLAUGHLIN won the trophies. Town council rethought a total parking ban on 57th Ave and agreed to allow parking on the south side of the avenue.

1992

What a weekend! The Bicentennial celebration for Fort George and Buckingham House was a tremendous success, with over 400 descendants of Peter Fidler attending a reunion, commemorative mail arriving by wagon train, a St. Paul potter, a Métis sash weaver from Calgary and a display of early Canadian-style crafts from Manitoba all party of a massive art and craft show and even a best-dressed contest for local businesses as part of the weekend. Black powder enthusiasts set up an authentic camp and held a shooting competition at the Forts as part of the celebration.

1997

Elk Point had a new official population count of 1,492 people, declared at their July 14 town council meeting. For the first time in recent history, Elk Point was sending a team to the World Series of minor ball, with the Elk Point Midget White Sox, coached by Marshall Myshaniuk and Rene deMoissac and managed by Doug Bassett, heading to Consort for Provincials.

2002

Potta Trail Days celebrated Métis culture at Riel Beach campsite, with Red River cart rides, wild mint tea, fiddle music and traditional games enjoyed by all who attended. Floor curlers Bernice Bykowski, Anita Ballas, Violet Miller and Helga Vaughan won floor curling gold at Zone 7 Senior Games, while Roland Gascon won silver and Ernie Poitras bronze in golf and Del Smith bronze in bowling.

2007

Potential developers from Winalta Inc. gave town council a heaping helping of food for thought as they introduced plans to put three homes in place by the end of August and 20 within the next year in the new residential subdivision. Ernie Poitras won an Alberta Senior Games silver medal, not in golf but in visual arts, for his moose horn carving of a chuckwagon outfit, and Millie Orr won bronze with one of seven entries in the mixed media crafts division.

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GUEST COLUMN

Family assignments

This coming Monday, the first Monday in August, August 6, 2012, is celebrated as Heritage Day in Alberta and although it is not a statutory holiday, many Canadians in Alberta use this day as an optional holiday to celebrate the province's heritage. A major event that takes place during this time of the year is the Servus Heritage Festival, which celebrates Canada's multicultural heritage. It is also known as the Edmonton Heritage Festival.

In 1974 the Alberta Government declared the first Monday of August an annual holiday to recognize and celebrate the varied cultural heritage of Albertans. That year and again in 1975, a multicultural concert was held at Fort Edmonton Park to celebrate Heritage Day. In 1976 11 ethno-cultural communities banded together in Edmonton's Hawrelak Park to display their cultures' traditional cuisine, entertainment, interpretive materials, and crafts. This occasion marked the early days of Edmonton Heritage Festival, which plays an important role in promoting Alberta's heritage.

Alberta's Heritage Day must not be confused with Family Day, which falls on the third Monday of February in parts of Canada such as Alberta, Ontario, and Saskatchewan. It seems logical to put heritage and family together because it can be said that one is involved with the other. However, it is also said that heritage is past and family is present. But, in reality family is both present and past.

Interestingly, I just learned there has arisen some new suggestions from the Government of Alberta. It is being suggested we celebrate Alberta Culture Days – actually it is not new as this year will be the fifth year. "Alberta Culture Days, a provincewide celebration of everything culturally vibrant, fun and creative about our province is back for its fifth year, September 28 to 30, 2012." As to what will be taking place in our area at that time depends on our own initiative, planning and participation. So the newness is their

request is for us to do something that highlights our culture during those days.

But, technically and in reality, Alberta culture is being celebrated on different days and in different communities in different ways throughout the province. For example, during the Edmonton Exposition, "A Taste of Edmonton" took place from July 24th to July 28th. During the same time, at Sir Winston Churchill Square, great musical acts occurred on the REMAX stage for everyone's enjoyment.

From all these celebrations, the question asked could be: "What is the 'root' or influencing factor that is causing us to celebrate?" Would it be safe to say we are feeling some family assignment to help our families learn about our past and present?

What is unique about our families is something that stays with us. Many of you may remember the story of a very young boy who was abducted from his parents and his home and taken to a village situated far away. Under these conditions, the small boy grew to young manhood without a knowledge of his actual parents or earthly home. But where was home to be found? Where were his mother and father to be discovered? Oh, if only he could remember even their names, his task would be less hopeless. Desperately he sought to recall even a glimpse of his childhood. Like a flash of inspiration, he remembered the sound of a bell which from the tower atop the village church pealed its welcome each Sabbath morning. From village to village the young man wandered, ever listening for that familiar bell to chime. Some bells were similar, others far different from the sound he remembered. At length the weary young man stood one Sunday morning before a church of a typical town. He listened carefully as the bell began to peal. The sound was familiar. It was unlike any other he had heard, save that bell which pealed in the memory of his childhood days. Yes, it was the same bell, its ring was true. His eyes filled with tears. His heart rejoiced in gladness. His soul overflowed with gratitude. The young man dropped to his knees, looked upward beyond the bell tower – even toward heaven – and in a prayer of gratitude whispered, "Thanks be to God, I'm home." What this story points out to me is that our homes represent something very important to us – it gives us our identity. Our family assignment is to develop remembrance. ... Now we know why we celebrate special days!



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EASTHOPE
from the FCSS desk

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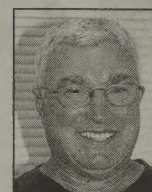
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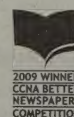


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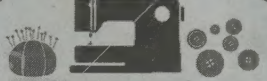
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Garden tour

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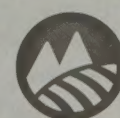
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2012 Craft and Horticulture Show winners

Aggregate and section winners at Elk Point Agricultural Society's 2012 Craft and Horticulture Show were, front, left to right: Rhianna Bjorkman, Junior Creative Writing; Lillian Balazs, second in Grand Aggregate, Flowers, Seniors; Lisa Love, third in Grand Aggregate, Baking, Knitting/Crochet/Weaving; Millie Orr, Grand Aggregate, Canning, House Plants, Violet McFadyen Memorial award; Jennifer Van der Hoek, Creative Writing, Arts/Crafts/Hobbies; back row, left to right: Margaret Bayduza, Photography; Verona Lea Flanders, Quilting, Sewing, Yard Art; Laverne Wilson, Fruit, Vegetables. Not shown: Katerina Shapka, Youth Creative Writing, Junior Fair; and Elizabeth Orr, Grains/Hay.



Green thumbs and shutterbugs displayed the year's best at Elk Point Craft and Horticulture Show.

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Show

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Laverne Wilson took home a pair of section wins as well, accepting the Knotty Boyz gift bag for the Fresh Fruit section and a cash prize from Shamrock Valley Enterprises for his Vegetables section win.

Former show chair Verona Lea Flanders was a triple winner, winning three cash prizes from B & R Eckels in Quilting, E-Can Oilfield Services in Sewing, and JPD Enterprises in the Yard Art section

Elizabeth Orr won the Grains and Hay section for a gift certificate sponsored by Wozniak Bulk Fuels, while Margaret Bayduza received a gift certificate from Home Town Grocers for her win in the Photography section.

Donna Bassett thanked her many volunteers, and praised the exhibitors, who brought in a good amount of entries although "not everything in their gardens were ready, nor all of their crafts finished." Excellent entries again presented the judges with a challenging task to determine the winners.

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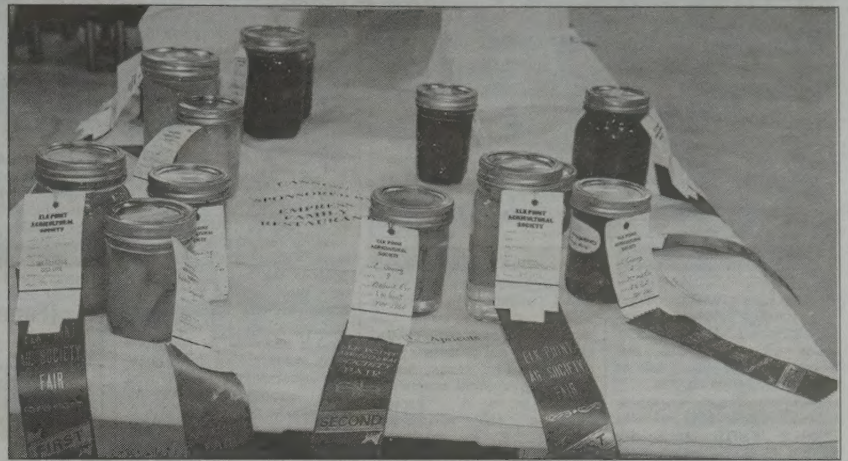
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Craft, horticulture shown



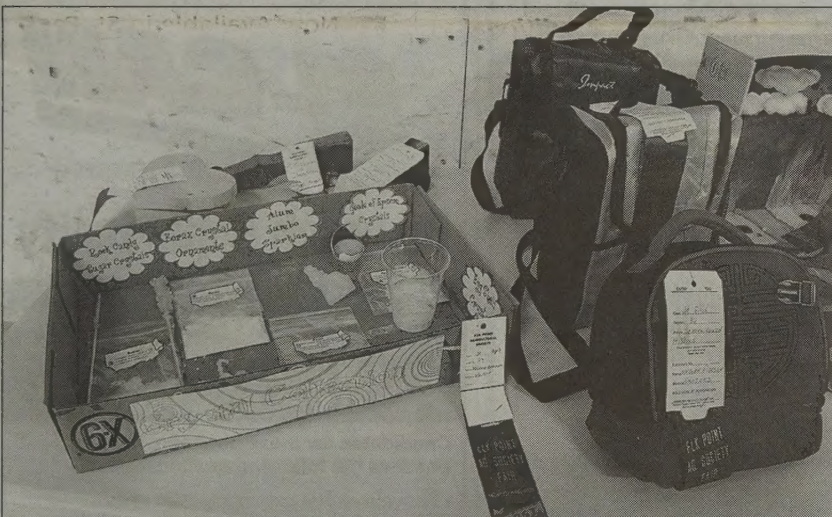
Gardening enthusiasts Laverne and Doris Wilson check out the competition in the Fresh Fruit section, which Laverne later won.



Traditional skills, such as canning, above, and knitting and crochet, below, are very much alive in our community, and bring out a good range of entries each year.



A mother-daughter duo created these unique pieces of garden art, avid hockey fan Jennifer Van der Hoek making an Oilers inukshuk while mom Verona Lea Flanders created tiny stone footprints.



A collection of crystals, worthy of any science fair, caught the eye of Junior Fair convenor Sue Campbell, who says the unique entry is the work of Rhianna Bjorkman.



The Seniors section of the Craft and Horticulture Show brought out both, including old-fashioned bouquets, quilts, cushions, knitting and crochet and even a monochromatic oil painting.

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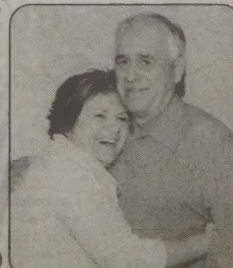
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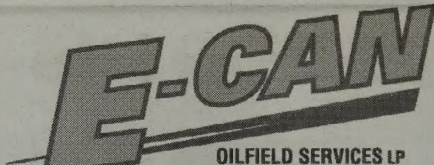
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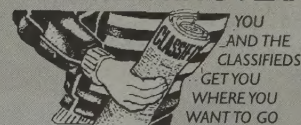
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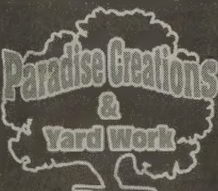
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